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Sir:

Prior to the first Official Action, it is respectfully requested that the following amendments be made.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

**Please replace the first paragraph, page 1, lines 3-10:**

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

A1  
This application is a continuation-in-part of and claims priority of application 09/234,998, filed January 21, 1999, the content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety, the priority application being based on and claiming priority of provisional patent application 60/072,161 filed January 22, 1998.